

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: CIT1520-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Sternberg and Barr

Art Unit:

1632

Application No.:

09/655,160

Examiner:

Paras, Jr., Peter

Filed: Title:

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POLYCYSTIC KIDNEY DISEASE GENE HOMOLOGS REQUIRED FOR

MALE MATING BEHAVIOR IN NEMATODES AND ASSAYS BASED

THEREON

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application, please find:

- Response to Office Action mailed July 1, 2003 (2 pgs); (1)
- Petition for One Month Extension of Time (2 pgs); (2)
- (3) Check #543632 in the amount of \$55.00; and
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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, September 2, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed for the one month extension of time. In the event of any additional fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any amounts required by this filing, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355.

Respectfully submitted,

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